

## NEW CHINESE WAR IS LIKELY IN SOUTH

Sun Yat Sen, Asked to Resign,  
Threatens to Bombard  
Canton Arsenal.

### GENERALS IN LEAGUE

We Quote American History  
Against Citizens' Convention  
to Choose Government.

Shanghai, May 28 (Associated Press).—Gen. Chen Ching-ming, the South China military leader, is demanding that Sun Yat Sen resign from the Presidency of the South China Government at Canton. It was reliably reported here to-day. The military forces of the Canton Government refuse to allow President Sun to enter Canton and he has ordered the navy to bombard the arsenal, it is reported. Southern Chinese officials, however, declare they do not anticipate military hostilities at Canton.

Sun Yat Sen's army movements in the southern part of the province of Kwangtung are considered as a bluff and merely strategical maneuvers against the southern General. If there is a clash between them it is generally thought it may occur in the northern part of Kwangtung. The underlying cause of the struggle for control of that province, whose finances are largely held by Chen Ching-ming.

At the military headquarters at Welchow, in the northern part of the province of Kwangtung, it is freely admitted that the situation is serious, although Gen. Chen Ching-ming refuses to talk and is awaiting developments.

The general belief among foreigners is that he is secretly allied with Gen. Wu Peifu, who holds the military upper hand in the north, and that the recent estrangement of the southern General and President Sun is permanent. This opinion also is expressed by a number of Chinese, who believe a clash will occur soon unless Sun Yat Sen is willing to efface himself. It is reported here that he and his officials, realizing their waning power, are trying to negotiate a settlement.

PEKIN, May 27 (Associated Press).—Gen. Wu Peifu, acting independently of the Peking Government, to-day announced the following program, which he said only awaited the approval of the various Chinese provinces to carry out: Revival of the old Parliament as the national legislature, elimination simultaneously of the Peking and Canton governments and adoption of a permanent constitution with the election of a President under its provisions.

Gen. Wu said it was impracticable to hold a citizens' convention, which has been proposed instead of the convening of the old Parliament. In this connection he cited American history. In answer to the suggestion that he might become the Chinese George Washington, he said the conditions in America and China were dissimilar, because only a small proportion of the Chinese were interested in the Government, whereas all the Americans took a keen interest in governmental affairs. He said:

"The situation in China is unlike the situation in the United States when the American Constitution was framed and passed by the thirteen States at Philadelphia. Without the actual support of the majority of the Chinese provinces the proposed special citizens' convention to draft a permanent constitution is unrealistic."

In an editorial to-day the Tientsin Times says:

"The Chinese nation now has an opportunity such as has never been afforded since the first year of the republic. The Times thinks the chief obstacle is in the insistence of President Sun Yat Sen of the Canton Government and President Hsu Shih Chang of the Peking Government that their respective governments are supreme."

## FREE STATE CHIEFS MEET LLOYD GEORGE

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### BRITISH SOLDIER SLAIN IN DUBLIN POST OFFICE

Gummen Wound Another After Cashing Money Order.

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A British soldier in uniform was shot dead and another was wounded by two unidentified gunmen soon after noon outside the Collins Green post office, in one of the main thoroughfares of Dublin. Katherine Gains, 9, was hit in the leg by a stray bullet as she was rushing into the post office from the scene of the shooting. The trousers of a man standing inside also were pierced.

The murder occurred in the midst of noonday crowds. Several women in the post office fainted and persons in the street fled panic-stricken. The gunmen escaped. The Tommies had cashed a money order and were leaving the post office when the two assailants came up behind and grappled with them.

Both soldiers apparently got clear, but the gunman fired. One of the soldiers, with a bullet in his heart, ran up steep Church lane, reaching the top, fifty yards away, before he fell dead. The other, apparently hit in the face, stumbled, but the second shot at him went wild and struck the post office.

The Irish republican army and the police are seeking the murderers, fearing political complications during the conference in London.

## CABLES WIFE HERE TO QUIT VONSIATSKY

Russian Woman Asks Former  
Mrs. Ream Stephens to Give  
Up Husband.

### ACTION MAY FOLLOW

Paris Law Firm Reported  
Ready to Ask \$100,000  
Damages.

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Mrs. Liobouff Vonsiatzky says she is not anxious to start such proceedings, declaring that such a thing would grieve her more than the widespread publicity already accorded the bigamy proceedings.

"But," she says, "Mrs. Stephens has had ample opportunity to ascertain for herself that Anastase legally belongs to me and that, therefore, she has no legal right to remain with him. We know they have seen documents sent to the Russian church in New York, the authenticity of which could not be doubted. After such proof that he married previously and that the girl to Paris whom he described to Mrs. Stephens as his sister really is his wife and entitled to his protection, why does she protect him and stay with him and enable him to avoid the sacred obligations he took in the Yalta Cathedral in Crimea?"

"I feel very sorry for Mrs. Stephens, but if she is merely the victim of Vonsiatzky's temperamental loquaciousness it is time that she realizes the truth."

Since her deposition charging Vonsiatzky with bigamy was filed with the American Embassy here for transmission to the Attorney-General at Washington, the Russian girl's health has been seriously affected, necessitating the summoning of her sister, the wife of Baron de Braz, from Prague. The Russian unofficial consulate here is making representations to the Russian Embassy at Washington to present the facts of the Yalta marriage to American officials.

This has caused an investigation of the conditions under which Vonsiatzky succeeded in entering the United States from Paris. It is reported that the Russian officials intend to suggest an inspection of the records by immigration officials which might result in his expulsion from the United States on the ground that he entered under false pretenses by not declaring a former marriage.

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## CHILE-PERU ISSUE NEARS SETTLEMENT

All Delegates in Tacna-Arica  
Dispute Expect Agreement  
at Once.

### Special Dispatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

New York Herald Bureau.  
Washington, D. C., May 27.  
Delegates of both Chile and Peru, engaged in an effort to settle the dispute over the Tacna-Arica province, admitted to-night they were on the eve of a settlement of the controversy which for thirty-nine years has threatened the peace of South America.

Proposals have been agreed to here

and submitted to the Governments at Lima and Santiago for final approval which will form the basis of a protocol for settlement. The favorable result was contained in the brief communique which said:

In to-day's meeting concrete proposals for an agreement upon the principal objects of the conference were discussed for the first time. It was agreed also to publish the proceedings of all preceding meetings at an early date.

The delegates, who met in the Pan-American Building, refused to make known the details of the agreement, but declared progress was expected which probably would permit of its publication at the next meeting Monday.

Senor Aldunate of the Chilean delegation said there was every reason for optimism. The proposals which are expected to furnish the basis for a settlement were concurred in principle by the Peruvian Government, expressed through Dr. Porras. It was explained that this proposal is neither Chilean nor Peruvian, but the common work of both delegations.

The decision to disclose the minutes of

the preceding meetings was reached upon the initiative of the Chilean delegation, which has surprised every one by standing for the greatest degree of publicity possible. The Chileans favor publicity "in order that the American people may understand that Chile has accepted the invitation of President Harding to the Washington conference in all good faith, and that her delegates have come here with the sincere intention of making every honest effort to settle the thirty-nine year old controversy which has threatened the peace of South America so often."

The Peruvian delegates endorsed in the main what had been said by the Chileans.

### DISTILLERY IN ORPHANAGE.

ANDERSON, S. C., May 27.—S. C. Whitman, owner of Orphanage, was convicted in Federal District Court yesterday of illicit distilling and sentenced to serve six months in Spartanburg jail or pay a fine of \$800. Mr. Whitman testified he was lured to the still and that while there he was made and he was arrested.

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